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SUBJ: PNG GOVERNMENT SENSITIVITY ON PUBLIC DISCUSSION OF
POSSIBLE PEACE CORPS PROGRAM

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1. AUSTRALIAN DEPT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS CALLED EMBASSY
FEB 27 TO PASS TO DEPUTY SECRETARY'S PARTY FOLLOWING
MESSAGE FROM MR. WILIAM CONROY, SECRETARY OF PNG DEPT
OF FOREIGN RELATIONS AND TRADE, ON PUBLIC DISCUSSION
OF POSSIBLE PEACE CORPS PROGRAM IN PNG, WITH DEP SECRETARY.

2. CONROY STATES THAT, FOLLOWING DISCUSSION OF POSSIBLE
PEACE CORPS OPERATIONS IN PNG WITH ALBERT MAORI KIKI,
MINISTER FOR FOREIGN RELATIONS AND TRADE, KIKI STILL HAS
RESERVATIONS ABOUT THE MATTER. HE WOULD BE PREPARED TO
DISCUSS THE MATTER PRIVATELY WITH THE DEPUTY SECRETARY
BUT WOULD PREFER TO HAVE NO PUBLIC REFERENCE TO THE
PEACE CORPS, INCLUDING THE JOINT COMMUNIQUE TO BE ISSUED.

3. COMMENT: REFTELS, WHICH PROVIDE EMBASSY DRAFT
OF JOINT COMMUNIQUE AND POSSIBLE Q'S AND A'S, CONTAIN
NO REFERENCE TO PEACE CORPS. ABOVE MESSAGE INDICATES
PNG GOVERNMENT SENSITIVITY ON MATTER. END COMMENT.

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